

# Lesson 1 Week 5 Questions

Punctuating a list

## RED

**Does the start of the sentence with the first item included make sense?**

If it does make sense, we don't use a colon. For example:

**The pot held pencils,** rubbers and elastic bands. (The pot held pencils makes sense).

If it does not, we should use one. For example:

**The pot contained the following:** pencils, rubbers and elastic bands. (The pot contained the following pencils does not make sense)

Punctuate these sentences correctly. (Hint, you will need to use commas as well as 'and').

1. My favourite fruits are apples melons bananas.
2. My fence is painted brown green grey.
3. The recipe requires flour eggs milk vanilla.
4. The surgeon needs a scalpel scissors a gown a mask to perform the operation.

Punctuate these sentences correctly. (Hint, you may need to use colons and commas).

5. My fence is painted in four different colours brown green grey.
6. I like lots of different fruit, they include apples melons bananas.
7. The recipe requires four ingredients flour eggs milk vanilla.
8. To perform the operation, the doctor needs these things a scalpel scissors a gown a mask.

9. Write a sentence that includes a list, which doesn't need a colon. (Hint, who are your best friends?).

10. Write a sentence that includes a list, which does need a colon.  
(Hint, how many houses do we have at Monkwick and what are their names?)

## Yellow

Punctuate these sentences correctly so they make sense:

1. The recipe requires flour eggs milk vanilla.
2. My fence is painted in four different colours brown green grey.
3. I like lots of different fruit, they include apples melons bananas.
4. The surgeon needs a scalpel scissors a gown a mask to perform the operation.

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Use the list above to make a shopping list on what you will buy. You should include at least two sentences that require a colon.

5. (sandwich) I will have three things in my sandwich: ham slices, butter and mustard.
6. (salad)
7. (picnic)
8. (dinner)
9. (breakfast)
10. (snack)

## Green

Punctuate these sentences correctly so they make sense:

1. The surgeon needs a scalpel scissors a gown and a mask to perform the operation.
2. I like lots of different fruit, they include apples melons bananas.
3. His doctor says to avoid all dairy milk cheese yogurt.
4. I will need paper scissors and rocks to play the game.

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Use the shopping list above write sentences about what you will buy. You should include three sentences that require a colon.

5. (sandwich) - In your sandwich what will you have?
6. (salad)
7. (picnic)
8. (dinner)
9. (breakfast)
10. (snack)